

Greetings from Weber School!

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Tena koutou kātoa Weber whanau,

Thank you to all our families who have helped us follow Level 2 protocols and are signing in, limiting visits and wearing masks when on school grounds. The new guidelines will mean changes to our end of year events with our inter-school events having already been cancelled.

We love having family and community support at our events but during this time with the current covid restrictions and the latest Ministry guidelines, at Alert Level 2 we have been advised that events and activities do not take place that bring parents and caregivers onsite. As a result some of the end of year events will look different to reflect this and we are working on how that will look for our students and community. We will be touch with further details regarding this.

As soon as we are able to open events to the community we will do so. We will communicate any changes with you all and we thank you for your support with this.

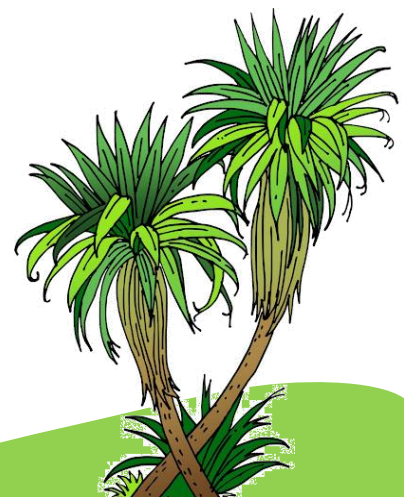
This week we will have our virtual pets day ... a first for the school and students and I am looking forward to seeing the videos tomorrow - we have been inundated with entries!. Thank you to you all for taking the time and effort in putting together a video. As you can appreciate, watching the videos will take some time for the judges but we anticipate having watched them all by the end of the school day. We will let the students know the winners early next week.

We are busy practising for our upcoming school athletics day, we will ensure to take lots of photos and post them on the website for you to see. The weather hasn't been too kind over the last week so we have pushed out the date to allow for some extra practices. The new date is Wednesday 17th November with a postponement of the next day. A huge thank you to Debra Harris, our school caretaker for getting the fields ready despite the interchangeable weather of late, they look great!!

We are keeping our fingers crossed for some good weather so we can get out and practise.



Pokémon Cards



TERM 4 DATES:

5th Nov - Virtual pet day

11 Nov - School athletics day

19 Nov - TOD No students on site

10 Dec - End of year reports go home

15 Dec - Last day of term 4

As of **NEXT WEEK** please can Pokémon cards stay at home. They are beginning to interfere with learning time we have therefore had to make the decision that they can no longer be brought to school. Thank you for your support with this.

Updated Covid Information - Face coverings on School Transport

Everyone 12 years and older legally must wear a face covering on school transport services (both Ministry and regional council-operated) at **all alert levels** unless they have an exemption.

Students of all ages are encouraged to wear a face covering on all school transport services under all alert levels.

Trees for Schools Project

This week Tom, Alex, Hamish and Henry from Room 3 made a start on planting some of the natives and non natives that were kindly donated as part of the 'Trees for Schools' project.



Sausage Sizzle Money

There will be no further sausage sizzles in term four so there are two options to consider for those that have paid for this in advance.

Option One: Let us know you would like a refund.

Option Two: Donate the money to the school.

If we have not heard from you by November 16th with your bank account number then we will assume you would like to donate the money to the school.

TOD Reminder

Friday 19th November is a teachers only day. School will be closed for students on this day.

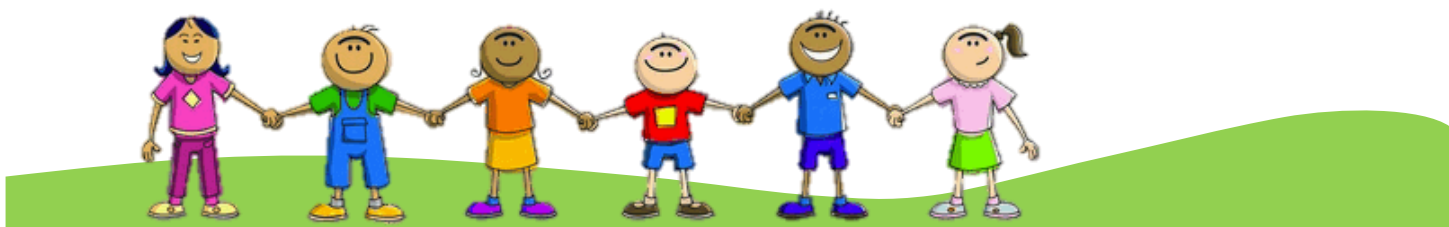


Digital Technology

In room 3 the class has been learning how to use spreadsheets, here Ruby B is teaching her class how to use formulas in spreadsheets.

YUMMY APPLE STICKERS

Thank you everyone for collecting so many Yummy apple stickers - we had more than 2700! We will be able to use them to select some new sports gear later on in the year. In the meantime, please keep collecting for next year. Let Mrs Lewis know if you need a new sheet to stick them on. Thanks for your great effort!





There are less than 60 days until the end of the school year! And that means the **2022 Sanitarium Weet-Bix Tryathlon** season will be here in no time!

The [Palmerston North](#) event will be held at Ongley Park on Tuesday 20 March 2022.

Enter today and secure the special Early Bird Price. Entry is open to children aged 6-15 of all fitness abilities and you can enter as an individual, or as a team of two. Enter under our Weber School Group.



JOB VACANCY: SCHOOL CARETAKER



Are you our next School Caretaker or do you know someone who might be???

An average of 5 hours per week, for 52 weeks of the year.

Due to the nature of the job and the outside work required, the times of work are flexible to suit the job and the weather, however the caretaker is expected to be at the school at least weekly.

Duties include:

- Physically fit and capable to take pride in what they do.
- Attend to any minor repairs
- There is a possibility of undertaking swimming pool preparation/or duties in the future.
- Enjoy working as part of a team and being around children.
- Take pride in presenting the school in a neat and tidy state.
- Use initiative and be able to work independently and unsupervised.
- Committed to safe work practices.
- Have their own vehicle.
- To be successful in this role will need to undergo and pass a Police check.

Please email office@weber.school.nz with CV and letter of application or alternatively ring 06 3743809 for more information.



COMMUNITY NOTICES

DANNEVIRKE NETBALL CENTRE PRESENTS...

2021/22 NETBALL DEVELOPMENT ACADEMY



Do you love the game of netball?

Will you be Year 9 or older (up to 17 years old) in 2022?

Do you want to improve your fitness and skills?

Would you like to represent Dannevirke at North Island or National Championship tournaments?

Come to our introductory meeting and hear about how all of this is possible.

When? Monday 1 November, 7pm

Where? Netball Pavilion, Anderson Street, Dannevirke

All welcome - players, parents, males, females. Spread the word!

Let's put Dannevirke on the map!!

Norsewood Festival

Enhancing connections between rural communities and local services!

Saturday 6 November

The Old Dairy Factory | 9am - 2pm



Make a full day of it and stay for the bonfire and fireworks at Matthews Park from 7pm

